

CLASSIFIED MESSAGE

DATE : 20 MAY 54

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TO : DIRECTOR

CIA HISTORICAL REVIEW PROGRAM
RELEASE AS SANITIZED

2003

FROM : []

ACTION: WH (PBS) (1-3)

INFO : DCI (4), D/DCI (5), DD/P (L) (6), WH (7), A/DD/P/P (8),
SA/PC/DCI (9)

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ROUTINE
PRECEDENCE

TO: PRITY SLINC

INFO: DIR

CITE: []

RYBAT PBSUCCESS

RE: HULA 795

1. [] HAS NO DEFINITE INFORMATION ON EXTENT OF KNOWLEDGE WSBURNT HAS OF PBSUCCESS, NOR OF COMMUNICATIONS CHANNELS WSBURNT TO WSHOOFS. STATES HE IS CONFIDENT WSBURNT AWARE OF PBSUCCESS BUT DOES NOT KNOW TO WHAT EXTENT. HIS AMBASSADOR TO WSBURNT REPORTED TO HIM WSBURNTS NOW BOASTING THEY ARE WELL ARMED AND WILL TAKE OVER PBSUCCESS ARMS AND THROW PLOTTERS BACK INTO KMFLUSH.

2. [] EXTREMELY DISCOURAGED OVER FAILURE OF PBPRIME TO GIVE HIM ANY SORT OF VISIBLE BACKING. FEELS HE HAS PLACED HIMSELF IN EXTREMELY PRECARIOUS POSITION TO ASSIST PBPRIME AND THEY SITTING BACK IN EXPECTATION SITUATION WILL TAKE CARE OF ITSELF. ADMITS MUTUAL DEFENSE PACT OF SOME BENEFIT BUT LIKENS IT TO NEIGHBOR WHO COMES WITH HIS RIFLE AND STATES HE WILL ASSIST AND THEN GOES TO HIS FARM 50 MILES AWAY WHERE HE CANNOT POSSIBLY ARRIVE TO BE ANY HELP.

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3. MAGOFFIN EXTREMELY CONCERNED OVER NEED FOR STIFFENING
[] AND URGENTLY RECOMMENDS HQS AND LINC USE ALL INFLUENCE
TO OBTAIN ONE OR ALL OF FOLLOWING SOONEST:

A. TRAINING SQUADRON OF F-80 OR OTHER JET TO COME
FROM NTPLUME AND REMAIN FOR FOUR OR FIVE DAYS.

B. COURTESY CALL BY ANY PBPRIME LINE NAVAL UNIT DD
OR LARGER AT PORT OF []

C. IMMEDIATE DISPATCH OF ARMY INSPECTION TEAM []
[] IN ORDER TO EXPEDITE SHIPMENT OF
ARMS AGREED ON IN PACT.

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